

IOWA FOOD STAMP TOKENS

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INTRODUCTION

The advent of the Food Stamp Program in 1939-43 and the more recent program initiated in 1965 required the use of substitutes for cash in making change for food coupons under one dollar. This need in turn encouraged the development of a nationwide series of tokens and paper scrips that are only now beginning to receive organized attention. These modern merchants' tokens and paper scrip were used by Iowa shopkeepers and their customers as they were by everyone else in the other U.S. states and territories - wherever the Food Stamp Program was implemented.

While many stores used different forms of printed paper credit slips, others used tokens, or both, at one time or another. Some shops used only register receipts with the amount due pencilled upon them. But, in January, 1979, for the second time since 1965 stores were required to use cash for making change instead of tokens, and at this writing both are obsolete. This catalog lists tokens of Iowa, and only those so far known to collectors in contact with the FOOD STAMP CHANGE NEWSLETTER.

The plastic pieces listed here were manufactured in the main between 1972 and 1978. The metal tokens must have been made between 1965 and 1972, the latter year being a time during which the costs of making metal tokens rose astronomically. Coinciding with that rise came the availability of the 28-29mm plastic tokens made by the Personalized Plastics Company (PPCo) of LaCrosse, Wisconsin. Its aggressive and widespread marketing campaign brought these little plastic "chips" to nearly every town in the country - and they represent the vast majority of listings in this work.

Other companies which made plastic tokens were the Tropical Lab Company, also of LaCrosse, and the Plastic Tag and Trade Check Company (Platco) of Bay City, Michigan. The metal tokens seem to be the type usually manufactured by the Meyer and Wenhe Company of Chicago. In comparison to PPCo these latter firms seem to have made little or no effort to market a Food Stamp Change line in Iowa.

The PPCo tokens come with a common reverse legend for all:

Food Stamp Credit/ 1¢/ In Eligible Foods

This reverse legend has two major types, one with uncolored and raised letters, the other with slightly incuse white letters resulting from a heat-pressure process. The latter greatly outnumber the former type, and all other makes as well. There are four major varieties of the heat-process reverse, three of which are represented in this catalog. For their details please see the FOOD STAMP CHANGE NEWSLETTER for July, 1981. Those three are shown below.



The SLRN variety is among the most scarce of the heat-pressure reverses. Randall's Market in Boone was the source of the only one listed here. All PPCo pieces have common color/denomination combinations: 1¢ - black, 5¢ - green, 10¢ - blue, 25¢ - red and 50¢ - pink. Those made by Tropical Lab and Platco have other combinations. Examples of these are the listings for Ernie's in Reinbeck and Jim & Dean's in Council Bluffs respectively. Metal token representations can be found in the Marshalltown and Sioux City listings.

No pieces are listed here from the 1939-43 period if there are such for Iowa, and if they exist they will tend to be scarce. Clues to locating the early tokens will be found in legends which will state "blue" or "orange", or sometimes only "B" or "O". Denominations are usually 1¢ or 5¢. Unlike their later counterparts they will be metal.

While many tokens are listed here it is unquestionable that many more are unrecorded. Information about pieces not listed here will be especially welcome and should be sent to the address below.

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(Introduction and cover layout by Jerry F. Schimmel)

AKRON (Plymouth County)

G W / MARKET / AKRON, IA.



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

ALBIA (Monroe County)

ALBIA / SUPER VALU (logo) / OPEN / 7:AM - 11:PM /
7 DAYS A WEEK

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

AMES (Story County)

(1) NO. 3 / AMES / FRUIT & / GROCERY



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

(out of business)

(2) NO. 3 / AMES / FRUIT & / GROCERY



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

(out of business)

(3) AMES / FRUIT & / GROCERY / #3



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

(out of business)

BETTENDORF (Scott County)

BOB'S / KOUNTRY / MEATS / BETTENDORF / IOWA



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

BOONE (Boone County)

FERGY'S / GROCERY / & / MARKET

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|-------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | (out of business) |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

RANDALL'S / DISCOUNT / FOODS

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|------------------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | Obv. short thin letters, 3mm |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | Rev. small thin letters |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | square top 1 |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | ¢, 4½mm tall |

RANDALL'S / DISCOUNT / FOODS

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|------------------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | Obv. short thin letters, 3mm |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | rev. small thin letters |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | rounded 1 |
| | | | | ¢, 6mm tall |

RANDALL'S / DISCOUNT / FOODS

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|--------------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | Obv. short thick letters |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | 3mm tall |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | Rev. small thick letters |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

RANDALL'S / DISCOUNT / FOODS

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|------------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | Obv. tall letters, 4mm |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | |

BURLINGTON

HEIGHT'S / GROCERY / 2410 / WASHINGTON

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|--|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |



KENNY'S / MARKET / 401 SOUTH / LEEBRICK / BURLINGTON /

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



CASCADE (Dubuque County)

(Crown) / THOMPSON'S / KING OF / MEATS

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



CEDAR RAPIDS (Linn County)

O. N. E. / STORE / 1001-9th ST. S.E. / CEDAR RAPIDS / IOWA / 52403

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



CZECH VILLAGE / SYKORA / BAKERY / 73-16th AVE. SW / CEDAR RAPIDS / IA / BAKE SHOP

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



CENTERVILLE (Appanoose County)

7 - 11 / QUICK / SHOP

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



"QUICKY" LUNCH STOP / RUSSELL'S / GROCERY / HWY 5 SO / CENTERVILLE / IA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

(out of business)

CHEROKEE (Cherokee County)

MINI PRICED / RANDALL'S / FOODS / CHEROKEE, IA



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

CLARION (Wright County)

(1) POST'S / CLOVER / FARM / CLARION, IA



| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|-------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Obv. CLOVER, FARM |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | 2mm letters |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | Rev. 2mm letters |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

(2) POST'S / CLOVER / FARM / CLARION, IA



| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|-------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Obv. CLOVER FARM |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | 3mm letters |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | Rev. 2mm+ letters |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

(1) ROBIES / SUPER VALU (on large S) / CLARION / IA



| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|--------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Obv. SUPER VALU |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | 2mm letters |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | Rev. small letters |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

(2) ROBIE'S / SUPER VALU (on large S) / CLARION / IA



| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|-------------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Obv. SUPER VALU, 3mm |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | Rev. large letters, 3mm |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

CLINTON (Clinton County)

(1) BOB'S / QUALITY / MEATS / 320-NORTH / 4th - ST.



| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|----------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | Rev. White lettering |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

(see)
(above)



(2) BOB'S / QUALITY / MEATS / 320-NORTH / 4th - ST.

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|--------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Rev. solid color |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | embossed lettering |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Fbr | R | |

KOPP'S / MARKETS / CLINTON / IA



| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|--|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

MINI PRICED / RANDALL'S / FOODS / CLINTON, IA



| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|--|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

CORALVILLE (Johnson County)

(1) RANDALL'S / MINI PRICING / IOWA CITY & / CORALVILLE



| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|--------------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Obv. RANDALL'S, 2mm tall |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | Rev, small letters, 2mm |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

(2) RANDALL'S / MINI PRICING / IOWA CITY & / CORALVILLE



| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|--------------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Obv. RANDALL'S, 4mm tall |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | Rev. 3mm lettering |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

(3) MINI PRICED / RANDALL'S / FOODS



| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|-------------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Obv. MINI PRICED, 2½ mm |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | Rev. 3 mm lettering |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

(4) MINI PRICED / RANDALL'S / FOODS



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

Obv. MINI PRICED, 1½ mm
Rev. 2 mm lettering

COUNCIL BLUFFS (Pottawattamie County)

(1) JIM / & / DEAN'S



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 5¢ | 28 | Pw | R |
| 10¢ | 28 | Pr | R |
| 25¢ | 28 | Pbu | R |

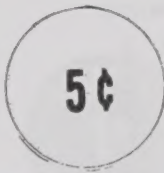
(2) JIM / & / DEAN'S

(see)
(above)



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| .25 | 28 | Pbu | R |
|-----|----|-----|---|

(3) JIM & / DEAN'S



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|--|
| 5¢ | 28 | Pw | |
| 10¢ | 28 | Pr | |
| 25¢ | 28 | Pbu | |

DAVENPORT (Scott County)

(1) MINI PRICED / RANDALL'S / FOODS



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

Obv. MINI PRICED, 2½ mm

(2) MINI PRICED / RANDALL'S / FOODS



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

Obv. MINI PRICED, 1½ mm

DES MOINES (Polk County)



(1) COHEN / THE / FOOD KING (in a crown)

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

Obv. COHEN, 3mm tall
thick letters



(2) COHEN / THE / FOOD KING (in a crown)

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

Obv. COHEN, 2½mm tall
thin letters

EAST / SIDE FISH / MARKET, INC / 604 E. GRAND /
DES MOINES / IA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



GIFT'S / SUPER / MARKET

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



ROADSIDE / SUPER / MARKET

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

DOWNELLSON (Lee County)



BOB'S / KWIK / SHOP / FOOD'S

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

BOB'S / FOOD / CENTER / DONNELLSON / IOWA



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

DUBUQUE (Dubuque County)

DONOVAN'S / FOODS / DUBUQUE / IA



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

(1) OKY / DOKY / FOODS



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

Obv. outline letters

(2) OKY / DOKY / FOODS



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

Obv. solid line letters

ELK RUN HEIGHTS (Black Hawk County)

ELK RUN / GROCERY / 208 MCCOY RD / ELK RUN
HEIGHTS / IA. 50707 / 234-9734

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

FARLEY (Dubuque County)

GREENWOOD'S / STORE / FARLEY / IOWA



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



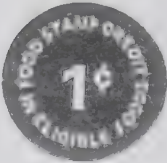
FONDA (Pocahontas County)

ED'S / CLOVER / FARM

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pbr | R |

Rev. raised letters

(tokens destroyed)



FORT DODGE (Webster County)

(1) MINI PRICED / RANDALL'S / FOODS / FORT DODGE / IA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

Rev. small 2 mm letters

(see above)



(2) MINI PRICED / RANDALL'S / FOODS / FORT DODGE / IA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

Rev. large 3 mm letters

FORT MADISON (Lee County)

(1) GREENWALD / I G A (logo)



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

(2) GREENWALD / I G A (logo with trade mark symbol)



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

(3) GREENWALD (within circle)

| | | | |
|----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
|----|----|-----|---|



| | | | |
|-----|----|----|---|
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
|-----|----|----|---|

GOLDFIELD (Wright County)



FRIENDLIEST STORE AROUND / NELSON'S / CARDINAL /
MARKET / GOLDFIELD / IA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |

No 50¢ tokens used at any time.

HARTLEY (O'Brien County)



COME BACK SOON / HARTLEY / FOODS / INC / HARTLEY /
IA / THANKS FOR SHOPPING WITH US

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

HUMBOLDT (Humboldt County)

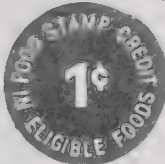


(1) HOOD'S / SUPER VALU (logo)

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

(tokens destroyed)

(2) HOOD'S / SUPER VALU (logo) / 21 N. TAFT / HUMBOLDT, IA



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

(tokens destroyed)

IOWA CITY (Johnson County)

RANDALL'S stores in both Iowa City and
Coralville used the same tokens.

See Coralville.

JEFFERSON (Greene County)



BORDENARO / MARKET / 108 WEST / WASHINGTON /
JEFFERSON IA / 50129

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

(out of business)

KINGSFORD HEIGHTS



PROPE'S / DAIRY / STORE (Dealer claims Iowa. Cannot confirm)

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

LAMONI (Decatur County)



EDGERTON'S / FOOD / MARKET / 102 S. LINDEN / LAMONI / IA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

MAPLETON (Monona County)



KLOTZ / FOOD MARKET / MAPLETON / IOWA / 51034

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

MARSHALLTOWN (Marshall County)



FOR ELIGIBLE / CURT'S / COINS / FOODS ONLY

| | | | | | | | |
|-----|----|---|---|------------|-----|---|----------|
| 1¢ | 17 | A | R | Good for / | 1¢ | / | in trade |
| 5¢ | 23 | A | R | " " | 5¢ | / | " " |
| 10¢ | 26 | A | R | " " | 10¢ | / | " " |
| 25¢ | | A | R | " " | 25¢ | / | " " |

(out of business)

(1) FOR ELIGIBLE / HALEY'S / FOODS ONLY



| | | | | | | | |
|-----|----|---|---|------------|------|------------|----------|
| 1¢ | 17 | B | R | Good for / | 1¢ | / | in trade |
| | | | | a. / | of ¢ | thru C | |
| | | | | b. / | " ¢ | not thru C | |
| 5¢ | 23 | B | R | Good for / | 5¢ | / | in trade |
| 10¢ | 26 | B | R | " " | 10¢ | / | " " |
| 25¢ | 29 | B | R | " " | 25¢ | / | " " |
| \$1 | 17 | B | R | " " | \$1 | / | " " |

(note - The \$1 rev. token was an error and was not used.)

(2) HALEY'S / FINEST / MEATS / & / GROCERIES



| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|-------------------------|
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | Obv.- HALEY'S, 2½mm |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | Rev.- small letters 2mm |

(3) HALEY'S / FINEST / MEATS & / GROCERIES



1¢ 29 Pbl R Obv.-HALEY'S, 4mm
rev.-large letters, 3mm

(1) MINI PRICED / RANDALL'S / FOODS / MARSHALLTOWN



1¢ 29 Pbl R
5¢ 29 Pg R Obv. MINI PRICED, 1½ mm
10¢ 29 Pbu R Rev. 2 mm letters
25¢ 29 Pr R (out of business).
50¢ 29 Pp R

(2) MINI PRICED / RANDALL'S / FOODS / MARSHALLTOWN



1¢ 29 Pbl R
5¢ 29 Pg R Obv. MINI PRICED, 2½ mm
10¢ 29 Pbu R Rev. 3 mm letters
25¢ 29 Pr R (out of business).
50¢ 29 Pp R

MASON CITY (Cerro Gordo County)



PIGGLY WIGGLY / (smiling pig) / MASON CITY / IOWA

1¢ 29 Pbl R
5¢ 29 Pg R
10¢ 29 Pbu R
25¢ 29 Pr R
50¢ 29 Pp R

MORAVIA (Appanoose County)



SPENCER / GROCERY / MORAVIA / IOWA

1¢ 29 Pbl R
5¢ 29 Pg R
10¢ 29 Pg R
25¢ 29 Pr R
50¢ 29 Pp R

MOVILLE (Woodbury County)



JIM'S GROCERY / 51039 / MOVILLE, IA

1¢ 29 Pbl R
5¢ 29 Pg R
10¢ 29 Pbu R
25¢ 29 Pr R
50¢ 29 Pp R

NEVADA (Story County)



(1) HUNT'S / SUPER VALU (logo) / NEVADA / IA

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|-------------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | Obv. short SUPER VALU, |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | 12mm. |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | Rev. small, 2mm letters |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |



(2) HUNT'S / SUPER VALU (logo) / NEVADA / IA

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|--------------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | Obv. long SUPER VALU, |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | 14mm., HUNT'S 3mm |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | Rev. large letters, 3mm. |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |



(3) HUNT'S / SUPER VALU (logo) / NEVADA / IA

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|--------------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | Obv. long SUPER VALU, |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | 14mm., HUNT'S 4mm. |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | Rev. large letters, 3mm. |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

NEW HAMPTON (Chickasaw County)



(1) LIDDE'S / SUPER VALU (logo) / NEW HAMPTON / IA

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|---------------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | Obv. SUPER VALU 11mm long |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Rev. Solid color |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | embossed letters |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

(2) LIDDE'S / SUPER VALU (logo) / NEW HAMPTON / IA

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|---------------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | Obv. SUPER VALU 11mm long |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Rev printed letters |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | |

(see)
(above)



(3) LIDDE'S / SUPER VALU (logo) / NEW HAMPTON / IA

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|---------------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | Obv. SUPER VALU 13mm long |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Rev. printed letters |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |



NEW LONDON (Henry County)

WHITAKER'S / MARKET / NEW LONDON / IOWA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

OELWEIN (Fayette County)

KARL MIKE / AND SONS / I G A (in oval) / OELWEIN, IA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

OGDEN (Boone County)

(1) OGDEN / SUPER VALU (in large S) / FOOD / MART

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|-----------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Obv. OGDEN, 3mm thick |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | letters |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | Rev. 3 mm letters |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pp | R | (tokens destroyed) |

(2) OGDEN / SUPER VALU (in large S) / FOOD / MART

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|-----------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Obv. OGDEN, 2½mm thin |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | letters |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | (tokens destroyed) |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

(1) WILLIAMS / FOOD / MARKET / OGDEN, IA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

(2) WILLIAMS / FOODLAND (in white daimond) / OGDEN / IA

| | | | |
|-----|----|---------------|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| | | a. light blue | |
| | | b. dark blue | |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



OTTUMWA (Wapello County)

WINBLADE'S GROCERY / OTTUMWA / IA

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|-------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | (out of business) |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |



PISGAH (Harrison County)

F. E. MILLER / STORE / PISGAH / IA

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|--|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |



PLEASANT HILL (Polk County)

(1) LLOYD'S / MARKET / PLEASANT / HILL

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|-------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Obv. LLOYD'S, 3mm |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | Rev. 2mm letters |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |



(2) LLOYD'S / MARKET / PLEASANT / HILL

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|-------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Obv. LLOYD'S, 4mm |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | Rev. 3mm letters |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

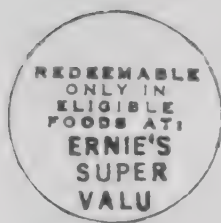


POCAHONTAS (Pocahontas County)

FLYNN'S / By Lo / FOOD STORE (logo)

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|--|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

REINBECK (Grundy County)

REDEEMABLE / ONLY IN / ELIGIBLE / FOODS AT /
ERNIE'S / SUPER / VALU

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|-----------------|---------------|
| 1¢ | 38 | Pw | R | Black letters |
| 5¢ | 38 | Po | R | |
| | | a. | black printing | |
| | | b. | white | " |
| 10¢ | 38 | Py | R | |
| | | a. | black lettering | |
| | | b. | White | " |
| 25¢ | 38 | Pbl | | white letters |

REMSEN (Plymouth County)

BOB'S / FOODTOWN / REMSEN / IOWA



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

RICEVILLE (Mitchell County)

MA\$ON'S / FINE / FOOD\$ / RICEVILLE, IA



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

ROCKFORD (Floyd County)

FAMILY / MARKET / ROCKFORD / IOWA



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

SAIEM (Henry County)

GLANZMAN'S / AGI / STORE



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

(out of business)



SANBORN (O'Brien County)

COME BACK SOON / SANBORN / FOODS / INC /
SANBORN / IA / THANKS FOR SHOPPING WITH US

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



SIOUX CITY (Woodbury County)

BEN'S / THRIFTY / MARKET / 1401 CENTER /
SIOUX CITY / IOWA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



BOULEVARD / FOOD / STORE / INC / SIOUX CITY / IOWA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



EDWARD'S / IGA # 2 / LEEDS / SIOUX CITY / IOWA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



GENE'S / MEAT / MARKET / SIOUX CITY / IOWA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



(1) JOHNNIE'S / MARKET / 3407 GLENN / AVE.

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

Obv. JOHNNIE'S, 3mm
Rev. 2mm letters
(out of business)



(2) JOHNNIE'S / MARKET / 3407 GLENN / AVENUE

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|--------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | Obv. JOHNNIE'S 4mm |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | Rev. 3mm letters |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | (out of business) |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |



(3) JOHNNIE'S / FOOD / MARKET / 3407 GLENN AVE / SIOUX CITY / IA

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|-------------------|
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | (out of business) |



(1) LAURENCE'S FOODS / C U (in oval) / SIOUX CITY / IOWA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

(2) LAURENCE'S / SIOUX CITY / IA.

| | | | | |
|-----|----|---|---|-------------------------------------|
| 1¢ | 16 | A | R | Good for / 1¢ / eligible foods only |
| 1¢ | 16 | A | R | Good for / 1¢ / in foods |
| 5¢ | 22 | A | R | Good for / 5¢ / eligible foods only |
| 5¢ | 23 | A | R | Good for / 5¢ / in food |
| 10¢ | 26 | A | R | " " / 10¢ / " " |
| 25¢ | 29 | A | R | " " / 25¢ / " " |



I G A (in oval) / POLAYKOFF'S / TENTH & / COURT



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

ROUSE'S SUPER SAVER / I G A (in an oval)



| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



SIOUXLAND / GROCERIES

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |



(1) WEST / SIDE / MARKET / SIOUX CITY / IOWA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

Rev. normal printed

(see)
(above)

(2) WEST / SIDE / MARKET / SIOUX CITY / IOWA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

Rev. raised letters

STOCKPORT (Van Buren County)

REDEEMABLE / ONLY ST / (lady with cart) /
STOCKPORT FOOD MARKET

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

WATERLOO (Black Hawk County)



RON'S / SUPER VALU STORES

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

VERN'S FRUIT MARKET / (fruit basket) / 1011
FRANKLIN / WATERLOO / IA

| | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R |

(out of business)

WAVERLY (Bremer County)



T & S'S / I G A (in oval) / WAVERLY, IA

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|-------------------|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | (out of business) |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

WAYLAND (Henry County)



Ed's / SUPER VALU (logo) / WAYLAND, IA

| | | | | |
|-----|----|-----|---|--|
| 1¢ | 29 | Pbl | R | |
| 5¢ | 29 | Pg | R | |
| 10¢ | 29 | Pbu | R | |
| 25¢ | 29 | Pr | R | |
| 50¢ | 29 | Pp | R | |

KEY TO IOWA FOOD STAMP TOKEN MAVERICKS

| | | | |
|-------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|----------------|
| 7-11 Quick Shop | Centerville | Mini-Priced Randalls | |
| Albia Super Valu | Albia | | Marshalltown |
| Ames Fruit & Grocery #3 | Ames | " " " | Coralville |
| | | " " " | Marshalltown |
| Bob's Kwik Shop | Donnellson | " " " | Davenport |
| Bob's Quality Meats | Clinton | Ogden Super Valu | Ogden |
| Cohen The Food King | Des Moines | Oky Doky Foods | Clinton |
| Curt's | Marshalltown | Polaykoff's | Sioux City |
| Ed's Clover Farm | Fonda | Propes Dairy Store | Kingsford Hts. |
| Ernie's Super Valu | Reinbeck | Roadside Super Mkt. | Des Moines |
| Fergy's | Boone | Randall's Foods | Marshalltown |
| Flynn's By Lo | Pocahontas | Randall's Discount Foods | Boone |
| Gift's | Des Moines | | |
| Glanzman's IGA | Salem | Randall's Mini-Pricing | Coralville |
| Greenwald | Ft. Madison | Randall's Mini-Priced | Davenport |
| Greenwald IGA | Ft. Madison | | |
| Haley's | Marshalltown | Rouse's Super Saver | Sioux City |
| Haley's Finest Meats | Marshalltown | Siouxland Groceries | Sioux City |
| Height's Grocery | Burlington | Stockport Food Mkt. | Stockport |
| Hoods Super Valu | Humboldt | Ron's Super Valu | Waterloo |
| Jim & Deans | Council Bluffs | Thompson King of Meats | Cascade |
| Johnnie's Meat Mkt. | Sioux City | | |
| Lloyd's Market | Pleasant Hill | | |